



HOUSEHOLD ACCIDENTS.

The Proper Treatment of Slight Wounds and Scalds.

A slight cut or abrasion of the hand, or a slight burn, may become a serious matter if it is not properly treated.

One of the greatest dangers lies in a wound of a kitchen knife, which may have held minute matter, and even from the scratch of a pin, and fatal cases of blood-poisoning have frequently resulted from so simple a cause.

Do not attempt to staunch bleeding by the use of cobwebs, which are naturally dirty and full of impure germs.

A simple healing plaster which may be prepared in the household calls for half a pound of resin, an ounce each of nutmeg, turpentine, camphor and benzoin.

THROUGH MARRYING A TITLE. Slightly Gifts From Exiled Americans to Adela Gessat.

The presents to the new countess of Essex, who was Miss Adela Grant, on the occasion of her wedding are curiously instructive.

Winning Over the Boys. When the late Lucy Stone started out to lecture for equal laws she had no co-operation and no backing.

The Rotation of the Planets. The rotation of the planets on their axis is certainly caused by that electric force which makes them magnets.

DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures all DeWitt's When Itzoo Salve cures burns DeWitt's When Itzoo Salve cures sores DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures ulcers

THAT PRETTY GOWN.

THE LATEST IDEA IN THE WORLD OF FASHION.

Oliver Harper Describes a Handsome Dress—The Apron and Shawl Draperies—The Overkirt Simulated—The Spencer Waist Is a Prime Favorite—A Pretty Cape.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—"What a pretty gown and how stylish!" was the remark made to one lady by a decidedly handsome girl today, and I quite agreed with her.



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The First Year.

CHARACTER IN THE PALMS. The Study of the Hand Has Become a Social Fad.

CHICAGO, Jan. 11.—Barium's alleged remark that people like to be humbugged has received a fresh exemplification in the palmistry fad, which has become somewhat prevalent in social circles in this city.

The left hand should be studied, unless the person be left handed, but in case of doubt the other hand should be consulted for auxiliary evidence.

Beginning from the fore-finger, the fingers are named Jupiter, Saturn, Apollo and Mercury. The fleshy part at the base of each finger are termed "mounts" and are named after the fingers below which they occur.

The line of life should, if perfect, completely encircle the mount of Venus.

The line of heart extends from the mount of Jupiter to the mount of Mercury. If deep, of a good color and narrow, it indicates a strong, good heart, firm affection and even temper.

The line of head runs from the base of the mount of Jupiter to the mount of Venus.



PALE OUTLINES. Mars. If even, narrow and long, it indicates strong will and judgment and acute mental perception.

The line of fortune or fate should run in a straight, unbroken line from the "braclet" to the base of the second finger.

The line of Apollo or brilliancy, a very lucky line to possess, rises from the plain of Mars or from the life line toward the third finger.

The line of health starts diagonally from the wrist to meet the line of head close to the mount of Mars, or at the top of the mount of Luna.

"The Milky Way," rarely noticeable, runs from the wrist across the mount of Luna. It indicates a cunning and faithless spirit.

The girdle of Venus, fortunately uncommon, is as a whole indicative of a bad character.

Bracelets of life—these encircle the wrist and denote length of life, fortune and happiness, especially if they rise toward the hand.

A Kind Old Chicken Man. STURM, N. J., Jan. 11.—About a week ago I went out to Bernardsville, N. J. to see the train to that region of tonic air that from the wrinkles out of a man's brain curls so quickly that real estate cannot be touched with a financial 40 foot pole.



The Seventy-First Year.

CLIMBING A CERTAIN STAIRWAY—PALL MALL BUDGET.

riage and had a man drive me in the direction of Mentham.

"This is Tom Rindie's," he said, at the same time making a sportive reach at the horse with the whip.

One day an old hen fell asleep and laid an egg in her lap. Those chickens are fond of Tom that they follow him in the house, and sometimes he is awakened in the morning by the crowing of the old Slaughter rooster on his bedside.

A New Gunpowder. The first experiments in public with the new gunpowder invented by M. Fabre Schenckel and which has been patented under the name of "Schenckel" have just been conducted by the abbé of the rifle club at Nuremberg.

Very little smoke was produced, and that little was almost immediately dispelled. As a test of non-explosiveness, some of the granulated powder was subjected to the friction of a pulverizing mill.

Detroit has a real estate dealer who knows his business. The other day a friend was talking to him in his office about feminine beauty when a homely woman passed by.

Paying Back a Practical Joker. A man in a Glasgow hotel in a fond tone of voice called his friend back just as he was leaving the dining room and then whispered to him, "How far would you have got if I hadn't called you back?"

The other, straightening himself up, replied in a tone loud enough for all to hear: "No, sir, I wouldn't lend you 43. I haven't got it on me, and if I had I wouldn't let you have it until you paid me what you borrowed two months ago."

Helping Her Out. Miss Centerboom—That lobster was delicious, Mrs. Van Wyker. Mrs. Van Wyker—Yes, my cook did very well, considering they are so hard to open.



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When You have read The TOPEKA STATE JOURNAL You know The story of The day. DANCING MR. J. B. Wetherell's Academy of Dancing, at 623 Jackson Street, begins teaching, will open Monday evening, Oct. 2. For terms, address at Academy. Hall for rent for parties or balls.

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